

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 5, with the following:

--Sialyltransferases that are useful in the methods of the invention typically have a sialyl motif that comprises about 48-50 amino acids, within which about 40% of the amino acids are identical to the consensus sequence RCAVVSSAG---DVGSKT (SEQ ID NO:1) (where --- indicates a variable number of amino acid residues such that the motif is about 48-50 residues in length). Examples of sialyltransferases that are suitable for use in the present invention include ST3Gal III (preferably a rat ST3Gal III), ST3Gal IV, ST3Gal I, ST6Gal I, ST3Gal V, ST6Gal II, ST6GalNAc I, ST6GalNAc II, and ST6GalNAc III (the sialyltransferase nomenclature used herein is as described in Tsuji *et al.* (1996) *Glycobiology* 6: v-xiv). The methods of the invention can involve sialylation of recombinant glycoproteins with more than one sialyltransferase; for example, with an ST3Gal III and an ST3Gal I, or an ST3Gal III and an ST6Gal II, or other combinations of enzymes. The sialic acid donor moiety used in the claimed methods is generally CMP-sialic acid, which can be added to the reaction directly or can be enzymatically generated *in situ*. The sialic acids used in a preferred embodiment are selected from the group consisting of NeuAc and NeuGc.--